Bendigo Camera Club Newsletter February 2023



#### **FEBRUARY 2023**

#### **FRIENDLY REMINDERS**

#### **COMPETITIONS**

Due Tuesday, 14th February March Set Subject - Architecture

Tuesday, 14th February Judging Night - Photojournalism

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Judging Night - Architecture

#### **ACTIVITIES & EVENTS**

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#### **Editor's Desk**

As we continue to experience some unusual weather this year the committee continues to work on the years offerings, from outings to activity nights, Set subjects for the competitions have already been set. This months newsletter will have a couple of new features for members to enjoy; a notice board for members to post things like equipment for sale, event invitations or questions for other members and a photo section with the committee members of the club to help members get to know who their members are. Happy snapping everyone, cheers.

#### **DUE TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY: 7:30PM**

## **March Competition - Set Subject: Architecture**

Entries are due for our Second competition of the year, March Print/ Digital Competition - Set Subject: Architecture. Architectural photography is a genre of photography that focuses on capturing photographs of buildings or structures. Hence, it also involves photographing the interiors and exteriors of buildings, bridges, structures, and cityscapes.

It can show an individual detail, a whole building or an entire cityscape at any time of day or night. As long as it portrays part or all of a building or group of buildings, it is eligible. Human figures may be included but may not be a significant part of the image.

#### **TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY: 7:30PM**

# **Judging Night - Set Subject: Photojournalism**

BCC Club Rooms - Bendigo Rowing Club Pavilion, Lake Weeroona VIC

Results for the judging for the First competition of the year February Print/Digital Competition - Set Subject: Photojournalism will be announced on the night. The Judge: David Skinner will be attending in person on the night.

#### **TUESDAY 21ST FEBRUARY: 7:30PM**

# **Activity Night: Kennington Reservoir**

Kennington Reservoir BBQ Area - Reservoir Road, Kennington VIC

Join members for a photographic stroll around Kennington Reservoir.

We will meet 7:30pm at the BBQ Area at Kennington Reservoir in Reservoir Road. We ask that Experienced members pair up with new and potential new members and make them feel welcome.

With abundant bird life, beautiful bushland settings and late afternoon light, it makes for a great opportunity to capture great shots, many of which past members have entered into numberous competitions with great success. It's also a great opportunity to socialise and connect with new members & vistors, so we hope to see you all there on the night.

#### **DUE TUESDAY 7TH MARCH**

# **Easter Exhibition Entry Form 2023**

Easter Entry Forms to register for our Easter Exhibition are due on Tuesday 7th March.

Closing the entry form by this date gives Gary time to create the program for the first club meeting so members can check the form for mistakes, etc. Any member considering entry please remember to jump on-line and complete your entries by this date, thank you.

#### **SUNDAY 12TH MARCH: 9AM – 5PM**

# **Day Trip - Kyabram Fauna Park**







For those wishing to Car Pool please email: Felicity Johnson to make arrangements and decide to meet at one of these sites:

- BCC Club Rooms Lake Weeroona VIC for 9:00am departure
- Goornong Railway Station Midland Hwy for 9:15am departure

The Park has a new cafe where you can enjoy a snack or meal while watching the busy Meerkats, or bring a picnic or BBQ at any of the set areas around the park. Members will buy their own tickets at the gate. For those of you who are Zoo Victoria Members, don't forget to bring your membership cards they will get you entry into the park.

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# **TUESDAY 21ST MARCH: 7:30PM**

# **Activity Night: Selective Colour**

BCC Club Rooms - Bendigo Rowing Club Pavilion, Lake Weeroona VIC

Join members for an information / activity night on selective colour. Learn how to highlight a subject in colour in an otherwise black & white image, or increase the colour saturation of an entire image, or even select a specific colour in an image and change it's hue, saturation and brightness.

#### A LITTLE FORWARD PLANNING

#### **BCC COMPETITIONS 2023**

This years competitions have now been set and in order to give members the best chance of getting the right shots you need to enter. The set subjects are highlighted in **bold italics**:

March 2023 (Due on 14th February): Architecture

May 2023 (Due on 11th April): *Colour Purple* (Selective Colour)

July 2023 (Due on 13th June): Autumn

September 2023 (Due on 8th August): After Dark

October 2023 (Due on 12th September): Floral

Looking forward to seeing what you guys come up with, cheers.

## A LITTLE FORWARD PLANNING

## SATURDAY 25TH FEB - 25TH MARCH

# **Photographic Beginners Course**

Bendigo Camera Club are running another Beginners Photography course. Limited spots available to create a more personal learning style. Experienced club members, Will and Boyd will run the course at a pace that suits each member. The course will be a combination of lessons and practical hands-on segments. The whole course costs \$80 for non-club members (includes 12 months membership to the Bendigo Camera Club) or \$30 for club members. Course Notes included. Lake Weeroona Pavilion, Bendigo. 10am to 12 noon Saturdays Feb 25th, March 4th, 18th and 25th (4 sessions). Topics include; • Get to know your Camera • Exposure Triangle • Composition • Basic editing.

For information or to register: secretary@bendigocameraclub.org.au

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# **YOUR BCC COMMITTEE 2023**

All BCC Members are encouraged to get to know their Committee Members so they can approach them with any enqiries, complaints or suggestions. So we have put together a little photo board below so that new comming members may easily recognise and get to know us better.



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Mark Friswell **Newsletter Editor** email mark



Glynn **Committee Member** 

Treasurer

#### FRIDAY 3RD MARCH: 7.30PM

# **Photography: The Next 60 years**

The next 60 years of photography is going to be a wild ride! Strap yourselves in for an engaging and informative discussion around the future of photography. Our guest speaker Lisa Kurtz has dusted off the crystal ball and is making bold predictions about equipment, technology and attitudes. Seeing the future as exciting and ultimately positive, Lisa will discuss ways to embrace the changes that are coming. To register for the session, click on the link below and you will automatically be sent a Zoom invite. Please see website for details: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/">https://us06web.zoom.us/</a> meeting/register/tZMufuiqqDqsEtCANnzZY0lUuylOVbwfx4t8

## **BCC MEMBERS NOTICE BOARD**

#### **ENTRIES CLOSE 19 FEBRUARY**

## **Photography Exhibition: The Female Gaze**

The Melbourne Camera Club is celebrating 2023 International Women's Day by curating our fifth exhibition of photography from female photographers, to be on display 2-19 March in our heritage listed building in South Melbourne. We are inviting you to be a part of our exciting exhibition! You are welcome to submit up to three images. Entries are open to all women photographers, MCC Members and non-members. There is no entry fee for exhibitors.



Image: Sally Paterson - Abstract Snoopy

• **REGISTER HERE** – you are invited to register your interest now to secure a place in the exhibition, and update your print titles closer to the closing date. Closing Date: Sunday 19 February 2023, 11.59pm

#### **ARTWORK SUBMISSION**

**REGISTRATION NOW OPEN** 

- Thursday 23 February 2023 between 6pm-8pm (or by prior arrangement with the Exhibition Coordinators)
- Artwork to be delivered, printed, mounted and ready to install to Melbourne Camera Club, corner Ferrars St and Dorcas St, South Melbourne (refer Terms & Conditions for size information).

**Your Works** 

Your work can be any genre or style; portraiture, landscape, abstract, documentary, etc. We would also welcome alternative process work. Reference the theme in any method you desire. All prints are to be mounted on white mat board with a backing of foam core or cardboard and will not exceed 400mm x 500mm (or 16 x 20 inches) including mat boards. If you would like to submit special work/s outside these specifications, please discuss with the Exhibition Coordinators. Please see website for details: https://melbournecameraclub.org.au/iwd-2023-tc/

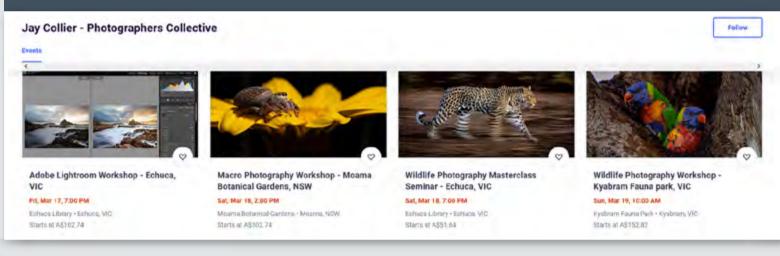
#### **CAMERA EQUIPMENT FOR SALE - NIKON**

#### Nikon D850 & Nikon F-mount Lenses

One of our members, Justin Stennig, is switching to a new camera system and is selling his Nikon D850 and Nikon F-mount lenses. Accessories also listed. This is a wonderful opportunity for a member to be set up with the whole kit and he has reduced the price considerably for BCC Members. He may consider selling lenses separately. For all queries please contact Justin on 0404 016 750 or email: justin.stenning@gmail.com

Download the Equipment Price List: <a href="https://www.dropbox.com/">https://www.dropbox.com/</a> s/491s8ofwb41ddks/Nikon%20D850%20and%20lenses%20for%20 Sale%20-%20Justin%20Stenning.pdf?dl=0

#### **CAMERA COURSES**



The Echuca Moama Photography Club is hosting workshops by Jay Collier that have been scheduled for March. These sessions require pre booking via the Photographer Collective Web site. Please see website for further details: www.eventbrite.com.au/o/jay-collier-photographerscollective-31429018815

## **CAMERA EQUIPMENT FOR SALE - CANON**

# Samyang 14mm f2.8 Canon EF Mount Lens

Brian Hinneberg is selling a Samyang 14mm f2.8 Canon EF Mount lens manual focus, great for astro photography and wide landscapes, \$170. For all queries please email: brianhinneberg@gmail.com

#### **IMAGE EVALUATION WORKSHOPS**

We previously advised that interested club members could go to the APJA website to register interest for the APJA Image Evaluation workshops (evenings March 10 and 17).

Given that the APJA website will be down for the next several days, if there are additional club members interested in attending the Image Evaluation workshops (held over Zoom) they should contact Joseph Maher (APJA) by emailing: <a href="mailto:jpmaher@ozemail.com.au">jpmaher@ozemail.com.au</a>

Please note APJA has details of club members who have already registered interest in the Image Evaluation workshops through the APJA website. Details of the Zoom link will be sent out to these club members in due course. APJA will advise their members when the new website is up and VAPS will then pass this information on to clubs.

#### **DO YOU HAVE A POST FOR THE NOTICE BOARD**

#### **Get in Touch**

- Speak to one of our committee members.
- Email Flic our amazing secretary: <a href="mailto:secretary@bendigocameraclub.org.au">secretary@bendigocameraclub.org.au</a>
- Email me direct: frissy33@gmail.com

Send us the details and we will post it on the Board for the members.



## **BCC MEMBERS NOTICE BOARD**

## **CAMERA RAIN COVERS**

A couple of members asked about rain covers, if they are worth buying or not? There's no one single answer for this. But for those who want to shoot in wet weather they are an excellent way to give your camera extra protection, especially more basic models that don't tend to have any or very little weather proofing. There's 3 general options: Premium, made from hard wearing material that is water proofed (generally high grade rip-stop nylon). Standard, made from durable clear plastic (hard wearing, waterproof, but susceptible to tears & punctures, so needs to be checked regularly to save any heartaches). DIY, one that I have used regularly over time with great success. All of my camera bags over time have contained 2-3 plastic shopping bags, numerous rubber bands in all shape and sizes and a number of shoe laces, as I have so often had good use for them, one of those has been water proofing cameras when you find yourself caught in a storm during a shoot. It's a quick, cheap and highly useful option. Another option is put your camera on a tripod and use a good umbrella to keep the rain off, don't let rain dampen your enthusiasm, many great shots are taken in the wet. For those who are after a commercial version I've added a few options below with links.

#### JJC RI-6 CAMERA RAIN COVER \$18

(fits 1 DSLR + 1 Speedlight + Lens up to 45cm long, 17cm wide)

https://photo-shop-studio.com.au/cameras-lenses/camera-accessories/ jjc-ri-6-camera-rain-cover-fits-1-dslr-1-speedlight-lens-up-to-45cm-long-17cm-wide/

#### JJC RI-SF CAMERA RAIN COVER FOR SMALL DSLRS \$25

& Mirrorless with Shoe Mounted Flash Pack of 2 (Transparent)

https://photo-shop-studio.com.au/camera-accessories/jjc-camera-rain-cover-for-small-dslrs-and-mirrorless-with-shoe-mounted-flash-pack-of-2-transparent/

#### JJC RC-1 CAMERA RAIN COVER FOR SMALL SLRS \$25

https://photo-shop-studio.com.au/cameras-lenses/jjc-rc-1-camera-rain-cover-for-small-slrs/

#### JJC RC-EF CAMERA RAIN COVER FOR CANON EF \$30

https://photo-shop-studio.com.au/clearance-sale-up-to-50-off/jjccamera-rain-cover-for-canon-ef/

#### JJC RC-EG CAMERA RAIN COVER FOR CANON (EG) \$40

https://photo-shop-studio.com.au/clearance-sale-up-to-50-off/jjccamera-rain-cover-for-canon-eg/

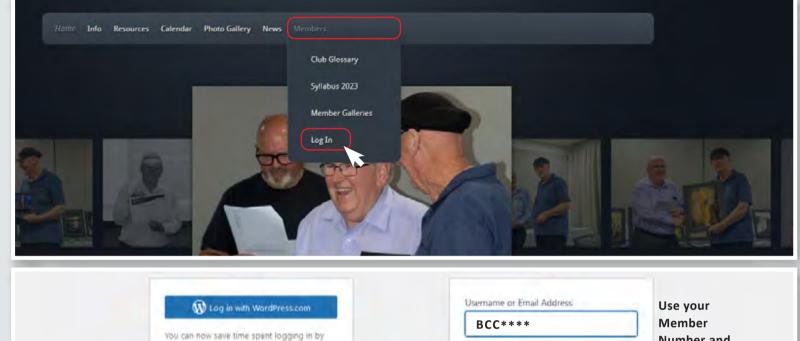
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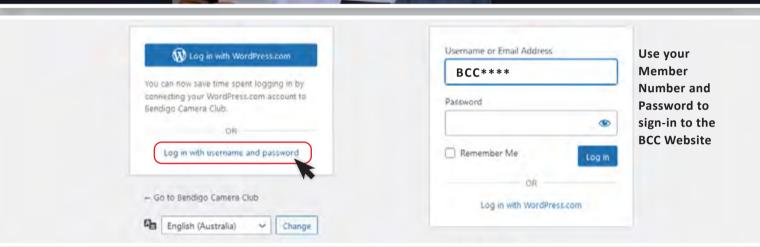
## **HOW TO ENTER FOR THE NOVICE SECTION**

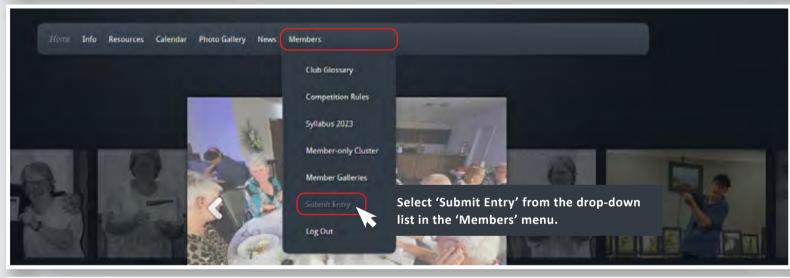
Some of the members have asked if I could put together a little Step by Step Instructions on how to enter images into the novice section of our competition. Hopefully the following will be of help, but please remember if any of you get stuck, please don't hesitate to contact me and I will talk

Sign in to your account on the website:

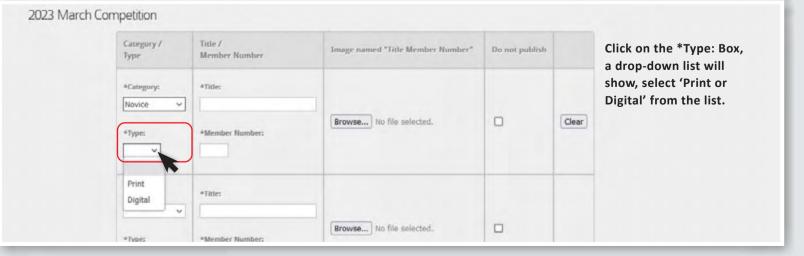
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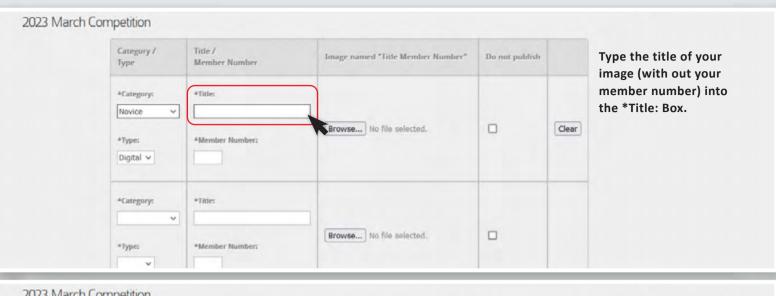






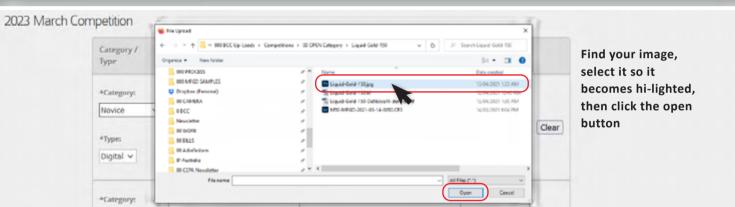












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I hope these visual guides will be of help, but if you get stuck or have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me via email: <a href="mailto:frissy33@gmail.com">frissy33@gmail.com</a> or by phone: 0439 655 695.



Whether you struggle to come up with ideas of what to shoot next, or you're a little bored with the stuff you usually shoot, then maybe these ideas might just be . . . . .

**WORTH A SHOT** 

## **SATURDAY 18TH, 25TH FEB: 8PM - 11.15PM**

## **Blues Train Queenscliffe**



Queenscliff Railway Station - Cnr Hesse & Symonds St, Queenscliff VIC

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#### **MONTHLY**

## **Local Farmers Markets**

Various Times, Dates and Locations

To market, to market to buy local fruit, veg, meat and cheese? Here's where you'll find 'em in Bendigo and surrounds. Please see website: <a href="https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/local-farmers-market">www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/local-farmers-market</a>

## FRI 16TH JUN – SUN 6TH AUG: 5:15PM - 11PM

# Lightscape



Royal Botanic Gardens Victoria - Melbourne VIC

Returning in 2023 after a sell-out season, Lightscape, an extraordinary, after-dark experience at Royal Botanic Gardens Melbourne, is back with a brand new trail.

Immersed in light, colour, reflection and music, the all-new 2.1km trail takes visitors through the green heart of Melbourne. Expect stunning lakeside reflections, colour-changing installations, large-scale illuminated sculptures and new surprises along the way with over 100,000 tiny lights.

In 2023, the trail of light and sound includes never before seen artworks along with the impressive Winter Cathedral that was a crowd favourite when it debuted in 2022. The popular welcome zone filled with Melbourne's best food trucks and pop-up bars is also returning.

This event is a little way off yet but it's one that sells out quickly, so I would highly recommend booking early, it's well worth a look. Please see website for tickets: <a href="https://www.lightscapemelbourne.com.au/">https://www.lightscapemelbourne.com.au/</a>

#### SATURDAY 18TH FEBRUARY: 10AM - 4PM

# **Baroque Horse Festival**

Kryal Castle - 121 Forbes Road, Leigh Creek Ballarat VIC

The Baroque Horse Festival showcases Baroque horse breeds (late 16th to early 18th century); see stunning Andalusians, Lusitanos, Warlanders and Friesians in action, plus many more! Be enthralled with spectacular performances and displays, enjoy the iconic Grand Parade and get close to these beautiful creatures. Entertainment and activities for the whole family. Please see website for details:



https://kryalcastle.com.au/baroquefestivalballarat/

#### SUNDAY 19TH FEBRUARY: 9AM - 4PM

## **Dragon Boat Festival**



Harbour Esplanade - Victoria Harbour Promenade, Docklands VIC

This Lunar New Year, join in the Dragon Boat Racing Festival on Harbour Esplanade and watch 200-metre dragon boat racing. Other highlights include the dragon boat tug-of-war, dragon and lion dancing, food trucks and more. Please see website for further details:

https://dragonboatvictoria.com.au/home/

#### FRIDAY 24TH FEBRUARY: 8PM - 10PM

# **Chamber Philharmonia Cologne**



Sacred Heart Cathedral - 80 Wattle Street, Bendigo VIC

After several successful European tours in 2018 and 2019 the Chamber Philharmonia Cologne (Germany) is coming back to Australia in summer 2020 with a powerful and lovely new programme. "Classical music the world over" – this is the motto of the Chamber Philharmonia Cologne. It is irrelevant for our musicians whether they are playing in a little village church, in the open air, in Cologne Cathedral or in the Sydney Opera House – their enthusiasm to play music is the same every time. The popularity of our ensemble is reflected in the fact that the Chamber Philharmonia Cologne gives around 300 concerts a year around the globe and listeners throughout the world look forward to a musical encounter with our exceptionally talented musicians. Tickets: Adult \$45, Concession \$40, Student \$30, Child \$30. Please see website for tickets: <a href="www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/chamberphilharmoniacologne">www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/chamberphilharmoniacologne</a>

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#### SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY: 10AM - 6PM

## **Australian SuperEnduro Championship**



#### Ballarat Showgrounds - Howitt Street, Wendouree VIC

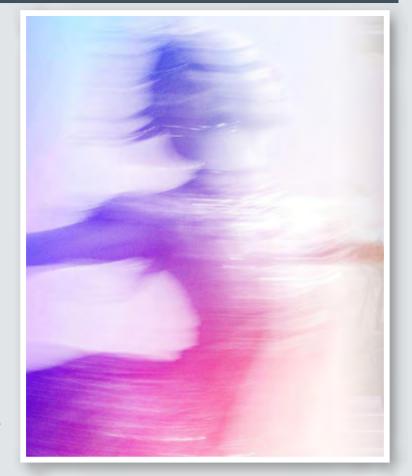
This is an edge of your seat experience for the entire family! From a stationary gate start, riders will battle across an intense and physically challenging man-made obstacle course consisting of concrete barriers, giant boulders, log jumps, sand traps and more. This will be the inaugural Australian SuperEnduro Championship event and you can get your tickets today. They have been working with top level Australian athletes from Hard enduro, Off-Road and professional athletes from the United States to land on this race day format for 2023. During the event, everyone will enjoy: over five hours of SuperEnduro, freestyle kings backflip performances, electric balance bike racing attraction for kids, see the riders prepping their bikes (all the up close behind the scenes), trade alley, photo memento opportunities for adults and kids. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://superenduro.com.au/">https://superenduro.com.au/</a>

#### SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY: 4.30PM - 10PM

## **Ballet Under the Stars**

Sidney Myer Music Bowl Reserve, Melbourne VIC

As part of their 60th anniversary celebrations, The Australian Ballet has created an outdoor showcase spectacular. The all-ages free event will feature excerpts from the upcoming season of Don Quixote, as well as sections from Le Corsaire and Kunstkamer. Joined by the 64-piece orchestra, audience members will be swept away by soaring scores and impressive overtures. Please see website for further details:



https://australianballet.com.au/performances/ballet-under-the-stars

#### SAT 25TH - SUN 26TH FEBRUARY: 10AM - 10PM

## **Antipodes Festival**

168 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne VIC

The Antipodes Festival celebrates Greek culture and community bringing together local and international performers, children's activities, and food, for a weekend of fun and feasting. It's the perfect way to celebrate the vibrant multiculturalism of Melbourne and to explore the beauty of Greek culture. The festival's main act is Alkistis Protopsalti, a performer who has been part of the movement to introduce contemporary Greek music to the international stage. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://www.greekcommunity.com.au/">https://www.greekcommunity.com.au/</a>

# **CURRENT - SUNDAY 26TH FEBRUARY: 9AM - 11PM**

# **Summer of Play**

Melbourne Museum - 11 Nicholson St, Carlton VIC

Summer of Play is Melbourne
Museum's long-awaited celebration
of summer, featuring an illuminated
playscape for all ages, after-hours
access to interactive exhibitions,
and late-night events. Drop into the
Museum Plaza playscape each day
for board games, seesaws, swings
and mouth-watering 196 Below
ice cream. The fun continues every
Friday and Saturday night in January
with DJs, cocktails, twilight tours of



the Royal Exhibition Building Dome Promenade and after-hours access to the swings. Please see website for details: <a href="https://museumsvictoria.com">https://museumsvictoria.com</a>. <a href="mailto:au/melbournemuseum/whats-on/summer-of-play/">au/melbournemuseum/whats-on/summer-of-play/</a>

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#### **SUNDAY 5TH MARCH: 10AM - 8PM**

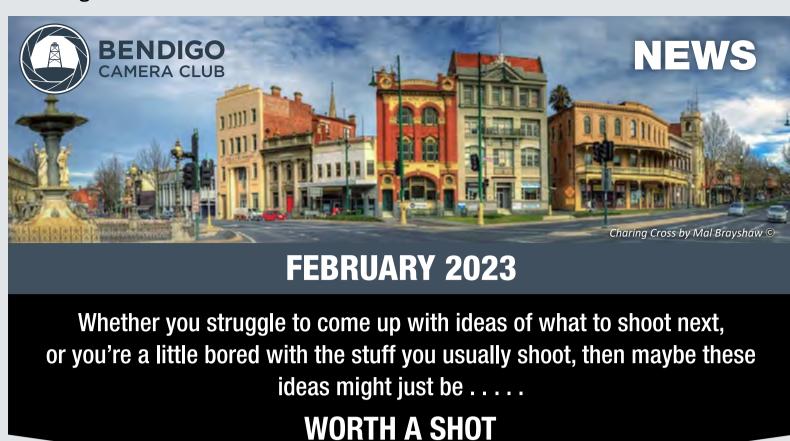
# **Beaufort Truck** and Car Show

Goldfields Recreation Reserve - 39
Park Road, Beaufort VIC

Head to Beaufort for a massive display of some 200 cars and over 100 trucks from all over the country. There will be hot rods, vintage cars, classic Holdens, pristine Ford GTs plus a great array of trucks from yesteryear painted in pristine livery. A great day for auto enthusiasts and a chance to meet like minded people and the owners of this truly remarkable vehicles.



There's food vans, snags on the barbecue and a licenced bar. This is a community run event to raise money for the local football and netball club. Please see website for further details: <a href="www.visitballarat.com.au/whats-on/beaufort-car-and-truck-show-and-shine/">whats-on/beaufort-car-and-truck-show-and-shine/</a>



#### FRIDAY 3RD - SUNDAY 5TH MARCH 2023

#### **Australian International Airshow 2023**



#### Avalon Airport - 80 Beach Rd, Lara VIC

Australian International Airshow is one of the years biggest airshows held annually. With a broad combination of military and civilian aircraft, both old and new, air and ground performances and static displays, Avalon will be the place to be, from Friday 3 – Sunday 5 March 2023. The current list is by no means complete and will be updated as aircraft are confirmed.

Keep in mind a few things when reviewing the aircraft:

- Aircraft attending are subject to operational requirements and weather.
- Some aircraft will be on static display only, and others will not be in attendance on all days.
- The final flying display program will not be available until much closer to the event.

Please see website for details: <a href="www.airshow.com.au/airshow2023/">www.airshow.com.au/airshow2023/</a>
<a href="PUBLIC/aircraft-display/military-aircraft.asp">PUBLIC/aircraft-display/military-aircraft.asp</a>

## THURSDAY 9TH - MONDAY 13TH MARCH

#### Moomba



#### Various Times & Locations - Melbourne VIC

Set on the banks of Melbourne's Yarra River, Moomba is an annual free festival held over the Labour Day long weekend in March. Featuring a carnival, fireworks, water sports, live shows and a range of family-friendly events. Full program and Moomba Monarchs will be announced 15th February. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://moomba.melbourne.vic.gov.au/">https://moomba.melbourne.vic.gov.au/</a>

#### SATURDAY 11TH MARCH: 6:30PM - 9:00PM

# **Enlighten**

#### The Great Stupa - 25 Sandhurst Town Rd, Myers Flat VIC

Introducing Enlighten, an immersive light experience that transforms our Peace Park into a unique lightscape. Light displays that shimmer on the Great Stupa, spectacular light sculptures throughout the garden, roaming performers and delicious food. Join us in the beautifully lit Peace Park and inside the Great Stupa for music, prayers, blessings, food and roaming performers. Tickets: \$15 Adults (16+), \$6 Child (3-16), \$39 Family (2 adults + 2 children), \$0 (Children under 3). Please see website for further details: <a href="https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/whatson/enlighten">www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/whatson/enlighten</a>

# SAT 11TH - SUN 12TH MARCH: 12PM - 10PM

#### **Holi Festival Melbourne**



#### Ron Barassi Snr Park - Docklands Dr, Melbourne VIC

Holi Festival Melbourne is a free day-and-night event with live DJs, food trucks and stalls. Come along to experience two days of culture, colours, food, song and dance, live performances and much more. All are welcome but please register for a free ticket. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://holifestivalmelbourne.com.au/">https://holifestivalmelbourne.com.au/</a>

#### SAT 11TH - SUN 12TH MARCH: 9:30AM-4:00PM

## **Lost Trades Fair - Bendigo 2023**



#### Bendigo Racecourse - Heinz St, White Hills VIC

The Lost & Rare Trades Fair is a single platform for career artisans and traditional tradespeople to demonstrate their incredible skills and share knowledge of their trade and craft. The Fair showcases more than 150 makers, artisans, tradespeople and crafts men and women.

Tickets: Adult \$30, Concession \$25, Kids 5-16 years \$15, (under 5 years,

free entry), Family Tickets (2 Adults and up to 3 Kids) \$80. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://www.losttradesfair.com.au">www.losttradesfair.com.au</a>

#### FRIDAY 17TH - SUNDAY 19TH MARCH

## **50th Eaglehawk Dahlia and Arts Festival**

#### Various Times & Locations, Eaglehawk VIC

The Eaglehawk Dahlia and Arts Festival returns with a new committee promoting new ideas plus the traditional events such as the Street Parade and Gala Fair, the Dahlia Show and the Sunday Family Day. Please see website for further updates & details:

https://eaglehawkfestivals.com.au/dahliaarts2023

#### **SUNDAY 19TH MARCH 9AM - 3PM**

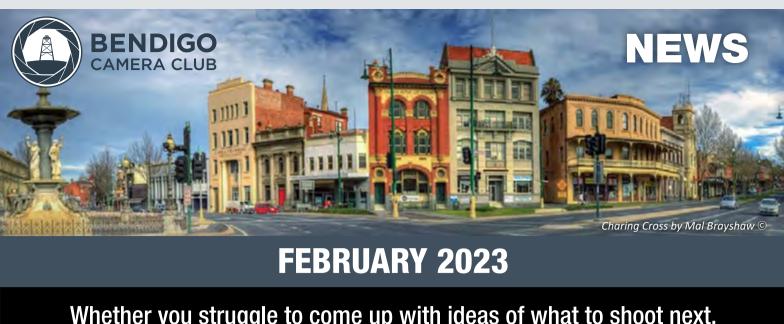
#### The Ballan Autumn Festival



#### Inglis Street, Ballan, VIC

Your favourite superheroes is this years theme for Ballan Autumn Festival. We'll be bringing you the traditional Grand Street Parade, Market Stalls, plenty of entertainment, food, the annual pet show and much, much more! Please see website for further details:

https://ballanautumnfestival.com.au/

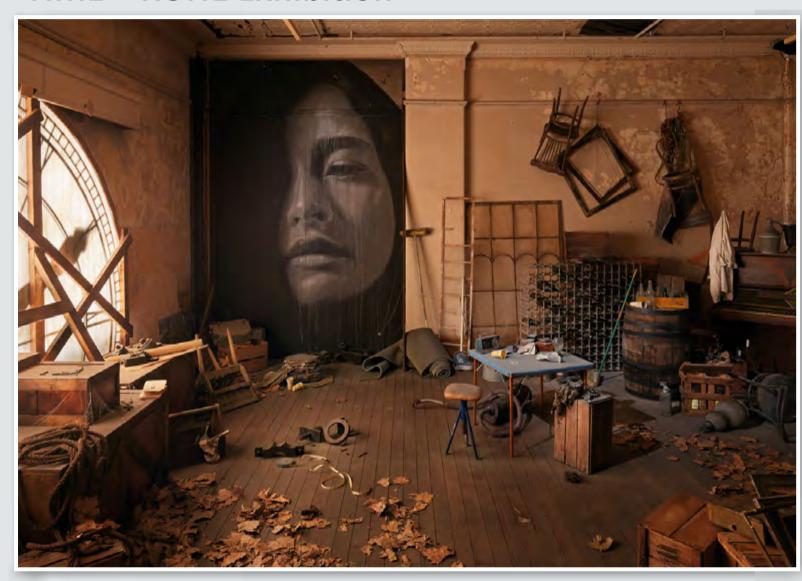


Whether you struggle to come up with ideas of what to shoot next, or you're a little bored with the stuff you usually shoot, then maybe these ideas might just be . . . . .

**WORTH A SHOT** 

#### **CURRENT - SUNDAY 23RD APRIL**

#### **TIME • RONE Exhibition**



#### Flinders Street Railway Station - Level 3 Flinders Street, Melbourne VIC

Set in the long-abandoned third-floor wing of Flinders Street Station, Time is a nostalgic love letter to mid-century Melbourne and a tribute to one of the city's great icons. Created and developed across the past three years, this truly exceptional site-specific experience is Rone's most ambitious project to date. A fictional history that transports audiences to post-WWII Melbourne, Time is inspired by an era when European migrants powered the city's booming manufacturing industries.

Adult / General \$39.70 • Concession \$34.70 • Children \$19.70 (Under 4 FREE). Opening Hours: Sun, Mon, Wed 10-6pm • Thu, Fri, Sat 10-9pm. Closed Tuesdays and Public Holidays. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://rone.art/">https://rone.art/</a>

#### **CURRENT - SUNDAY 23RD APRIL**

# TIME • RONE | The Newsagency



#### Mixed Business Store - Flinders St, Melbourne VIC

This is a FREE event. Booking not required. The Newsagency is a FREE sampling of the much larger RONE, TIME exhibition. Dilapidated, boarded up, with its only occupants hungry termites – the facade of a retail space welcomes its next inhabitant. Re-imagined as it may once have been, The Newsagency – complete with hand-painted signs, strewn papers and the news of the day – is an introduction to what one might expect at Rone's latest exhibition, TIME. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://whatson.melbourne.vic.gov.au/things-to-do/time-rone-the-newsagency">https://whatson.melbourne.vic.gov.au/things-to-do/time-rone-the-newsagency</a>

## **CURRENT – SATURDAY 28TH APRIL**

#### Live at the Bowl



#### Sidney Myer Music Bowl - Linlithgow Ave, Melbourne VIC

A festival of music, dance, community-led and family-friendly events for everyone. This summer the heart of the city will come to life at Victoria's most iconic outdoor venue, the Sidney Myer Music Bowl. Gather your favourite people and enjoy a blockbuster line-up featuring some of the best home-grown acts and international artists. Come together on the hill, share a picnic, take in symphonies at sunset or dance the night away to your favourite bands and DJs. Please see website for further details: <a href="https://www.artscentremelbourne.com.au/festival-and-series/live-at-the-bowl">www.artscentremelbourne.com.au/festival-and-series/live-at-the-bowl</a>

#### CURRENT - 27TH SEPTEMBER: 10AM - 5PM

# **NGV Architecture Commission: Temple of Boom**



Ground Level, Grollo Equiset Garden National Gallery of Victoria - 180 St Kilda Road, Melbourne VIC

An evocative reimagining of The Parthenon on the Acropolis in Athens, Adam Newman and Kelvin Tsang's Temple of Boom is the NGV Architecture Commission for 2022. The Architecture Commission is an annual series that invites Australian architects to create a work of site-specific, ephemeral architecture for the NGV Garden. The likeness of The Parthenon will be painted with overlapping large-scale artworks by Melbourne-based artists, imbuing the ancient monument with further layers of meaning and drawing inspiration from the vibrant colours and artistic embellishments that defined the original building over two-thousand years ago. Please see website for further details:

www.ngv.vic.gov.au/exhibition/2022-ngv-architecture-commission/

## DAILY 9AM - 5PM

# **Royal Exhibition Building Dome Promenade**



#### Royal Exhibition Building - 9 Nicholson St, Carlton VIC

An icon of Melbourne's history opens its doors to a unique view unseen for 100 years. With its origins steeped in history, the Royal Exhibition Building was built for the 1880 Melbourne International Exhibition. As a key attraction of the 1880 and 1888 international exhibitions, the Dome Promenade provided visitors a unique opportunity to overlook the gardens and view the Melbourne skyline. This guided experience allows visitors to once again be able to experience these spectacular views along with an exhibition that explores the building's significant history and varied uses over time. For tour times, information and bookings please visit the website: <a href="https://museumsvictoria.com.au/melbournemuseum/">https://museumsvictoria.com.au/melbournemuseum/</a>



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# THE RIGHT STUFF



Then this is the Section for you. Each month we will endeavour to find you avenues to compete with others and show off your work

#### **CLOSING DATE: TUESDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2023**

# **Life Framer Photo Comp: ANIMAL KINGDOM**



This month we want to explore animal life. Exotic or domestic, wild or tamed – out in nature or sharing our urban spaces. Thriving or merely surviving – animals as wildlife, companions or commodities. Show us the creatures that share our planet Earth. Please see their website for more information: <a href="https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/">https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/</a>

#### **CLOSING DATE: 26 FEBRUARY 2023**

# **Australasia's Top Emerging Photographers 2023**



Australasia's Top Emerging Photographers encourages and promotes talented photographers in the early stages of their careers. This year, winners and runners-up will share in a prize pool of more than \$24,000, including \$9,000 in cash prizes. The best entries will be showcased in the May–July 2023 issue of Capture magazine. Please see their website for more information: <a href="www.capturemag.com.au/page/entry-info-atep-2023">www.capturemag.com.au/page/entry-info-atep-2023</a>

## **EARLY BIRD ENTRIES: SUNDAY 19 MARCH 2023**

#### **THE MONO AWARDS 2023**



Hosted by Australian Photography and Capture, the competition is open to amateur and professional photographers from Australia and New Zealand and offers a prize pool of more than \$12,000, including \$10,000 in cash prizes. Entries close 28 May 2023 with winners, runners-up, and top 40 entries in each category published in Australian Photography and Capture magazines, and online, in September 2023. Please see their website for more information: <a href="https://www.themonoawards.com.au/page/about-the-mono-awards">https://www.themonoawards.com.au/page/about-the-mono-awards</a>

## **CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY 31ST MARCH 2023**

## **Life Framer Photo Comp: COLORS**



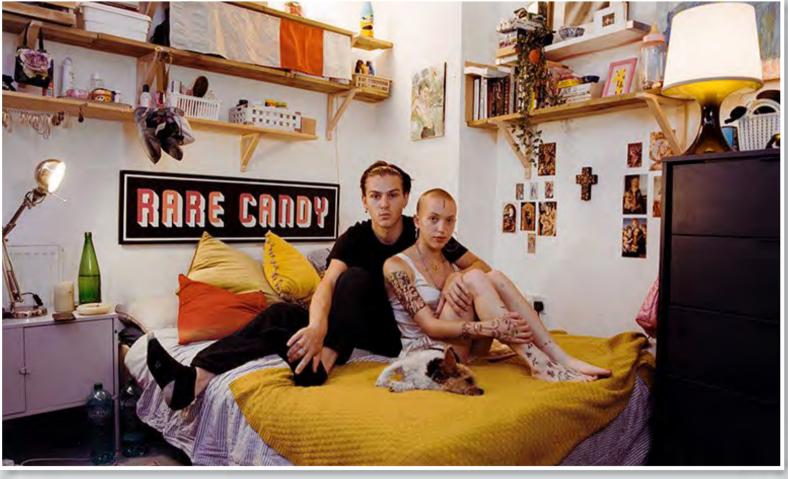
"A photographer must choose a palette as painters choose theirs."

Joel Sternfeld

Life is a stream of color. Red, blue, yellow, and a billion pigments in between! We are looking for color-inspired photographs...literally and figuratively. A scene, a detail, a narrative or mood. A single tone or a Technicolor daydream. Please see their website for more information: <a href="https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/">https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/</a>

## **CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY 30TH APRIL 2023**

# **Life Framer Photo Comp: HOME SWEET HOME**



There's no place like home as they say. This month we're interested in ideas of the home – as a place and a feeling. Your household or haven, your home country or your culture. Family life, domesticity, monotony and creativity, work and play. Be it literal or metaphorical, yours or someone else's, from inside or out, show us what home means to you. All genres, approaches and interpretations welcome. Please see their website for more information: <a href="https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/">https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/</a>